depend upon availability of land, construction of adequate number of flats and provision of infrastructural services. However, the DDA have chalked out a programme for construction of flats during the next three years as under:—

Target for con truction of flat							ear/	3	No.	SI
26,000		•			,				1992-93	1.
26,500	•					•	•		1993-94	2.
36,000	•		•					•	1994-95	3.
88,500		l .	Total							

(c) No exact time frame can be indicated for allotment of flats to all the remaining registrants, in view of constraints mentioned in reply to part 'a' & 'b' above. However, the backlog under various schemes is expected to be cleared by the end of VIII Five Year Plan.

Benefit of Union Government Employees to Teachers of Kendriya Vidyalayas of North East Region

3394. SHRI LOKANATH CHOU-DHARY: Will the Minister of HU-MAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

- (a) whether Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan's employees are entitled to allowances and benefits as decided from time to time;
- (b) if so, whether Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan's Board of Governors or its Chairman has deprived teachers below the rank of Post Graduate Teacher from getting Special benefits as admissible to the civilian employees of Union Government who are posted in North-East Region; and

(c) if so, the reasons thereof?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH): (a) Yes, Sir.-.

(b) and (c) Generally speaking, the special allowances and benefits accorded to Central Government Employees posted in the North East Region have also been provided to employees of the Kendriya Vidvalaya Sangathan. However, while adapting the facilities requirements, the Kendriva Vidyalaya Sangathan provided a uniform minimum tenure of three years for Post Graduate Teachers and above as against tenures of 2 or 3 years depending on length of service for all Central Govt. Employees working in North East Region. Further, the facility of Special (duty) Allowance was also not extended to the teachers recruited specifically for the North East Region. The teachers below the rank of Post Graduate Teacher are recruited on regional basis. Therefore, the facility of tenure posting has also not been extended to them.